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For: AQUEOUS OPHTHALMIC SPRAY AND
METHOD FOR DELIVERY OF ARTIFICIAL
TEARS TO THE OCULAR SURFACE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This application is an RCE of prior U.S.S.N. 10/693,179, filed on October 23, 2003. The following is in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 12, 2009 and the Advisory Action mailed September 3, 2009. Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.